

WEST VIRGINIA ITEMS OF NEWS

Died Suddenly.

Returning from picking flowers for Decoration day Mr. C. P. Harman, who lived at Freeburn, near Williamson, W. Va., dropped dead of heart trouble.

Accidentally Killed.

Merman Fred Lambert, aged 19 years, while playing with an "unloaded revolver" at Portsmouth, Ohio, where he lived, Saturday accidentally shot himself in the head and died a short time after the accident. He was the son of Harvey Lambert and moved from Ceredo, W. Va., to Portsmouth.

Instant Death.

George W. Hutchison, a well-known citizen of Kenova, was instantly killed at Camden park Sunday morning, by having been caught on the shafting and pulleys of the pump used for pumping water. His skull was crushed and his body badly mangled. The body was taken to Olive Hill, Ky., and buried. He was about 35 years of age and leaves a wife and one child.

Captures Still.

Deputy Sheriff Murphy, of Logan county, one day last week, accompanied only by his son, captured a still in full operation on Piney creek, near Omar, arrested two men—Hall, a Kentuckian, and Fouch, a Logan county man—and in addition to the fifty gallon still confiscated 600 gallons of mash. Hall and Fouch are being held at Logan for the action of the state court.

Will Build Plant.

The residence of Mrs. Hannah Harmon in Kellogg, including eighty-eight acres, has been purchased by N. K. Sneed, railroad contractor, who proposed to erect there a shop for the repair of steam shovels and other construction equipment. It is proposed to lay sidings parallel to the Chesapeake & Ohio tracks sufficient to accommodate several hundred standard gauge cars.

Ill Only Twelve Hours.

After an illness of only a few hours Mrs. Annie Whaley died in Williamson at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John B. Maynard. She formerly lived in Ft. Pleasant.

T. C. Payne Killed.

Thomas C. Payne, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Payne, who live near Kenova, met a horrible death while working in a projectile plant at Nitro last Friday, Mr. Payne, who had charge of a structural iron workers' crew, was down in a pit directing operations when a rope on a hoisting crane broke, permitting a heavy block to strike him on the head. His skull was crushed and he lived only a few hours.

Prof. A. C. Davis.

Supt. A. C. Davis, of the Williamson schools, left Wednesday for Columbus where he and his family will spend the summer. Mr. Davis will take a special course of study at the Ohio State university.

WAYNE ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Burgess and children, of Westmoreland, are guests of relatives here.

Mrs. Eugene Plymale and children, of Ceredo, returned home Sunday after a visit with Mrs. Claude Newman. Miss Nell Taylor visited Miss Daisy Arthur at East Lynn last week.

Mrs. M. E. Ketchum and children of Kenova, were guests of relatives here last week.

Mrs. W. E. Bertram and children of Portsmouth, are visiting Mrs. Fisher Scaggs.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wilcox were Huntington visitors the first of the week.

Augustus Snyder, of Louisa, was a Wayne visitor Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Keesee motored up from Huntington Sunday and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman McCoy, of Kenova, were guests of relatives here last week.

Scott Adkins, who has been in France for several months, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Boothe were guests of Huntington relatives last week.

Henry Hensley, of Ceredo, was in Wayne Friday.

Mrs. E. H. Richie left Wednesday for a visit with relatives in Virginia.

Dr. A. G. Wilkinson, of Dickson, was here on business Monday.

Lisnt. and Mrs. Irvin Hager and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McClure, of Huntington, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. McClure.

Ralph and Henry Taylor were Huntington visitors Friday.

Mrs. Arthur Hardwick, of Ceredo, was the guest of relatives here last Tuesday.

Miss Edna Cornwell, of Kenova, is visiting Wayne relatives.

Fisher and Clyde Scaggs motored to Huntington Tuesday and spent the day.

Guy Mosser, who has been attending school at Staunton, Va., returned home Friday.

Mrs. W. H. Peters and children returned home Sunday from a visit with relatives at Fort Gay.

Curtis Plymale, of Buffalo Creek, was calling on Wayne merchants the first of the week. GRIMES.

CATLETTSBURG

Awarded Service Cross.

First Lieutenant John M. Mills, son of Police Lieutenant and Mrs. Charles L. Mills, of Catlettsburg, has returned to his home after a visit to Camp Utton, where he was summoned by cable to meet his old company of the 89th division. There he was officially advised of the fact that upon citation of General Pershing he had been awarded the Distinguished Service Cross and that the cross had been mailed to him from Brest. The citation describes the bravery of Lieut. Mills who at the head of a daylight patrol, stormed and took a German trench and captured a number of pris-

oners. The coming of German reinforcements was heralded by bullets which wounded Mills so severely that he believed he was bound to die. Thereupon he ordered his men to save themselves by retiring and leaving him. They did so but subsequently some of them rescued him under cover of darkness. For a long time his life was despaired of but he began to improve and is now almost entirely well.

Child Meets Tragic Death.

Johnnie Annabel, bright little eighteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Branham of Chadwick's creek, met death Wednesday in a peculiar manner. She pulled a cup of hot coffee off a table and some was spilled over her face and breast death resulting shortly afterward.

Fifty-five Convictions.

There were fifty-five convictions in U. S. court, most of them receiving fines and all sentences. Seven were sentenced to the penitentiary and five to the reform school. Some were acquitted.

Marriage Permits.

Ed Spradlin, 22, Roxie Easterling, 23, both of Wayland, Ky.  
David Walter Mullett, 25, Clara Bell Webb, 22, Lackeyville, Ky.  
Arnett W. Booth, 27, Effie Shirasbury, 21, both of Wayne, W. Va.  
Edward Oliver, 39, Huntington, W. Va., and Martha Kidd, 26, Louisa, Ky.

Wechsler-Plummer.

At high noon Sunday a pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wechsler, the bride's parents, when Miss Naomi, their petite and handsome daughter, was united in marriage to Mr. W. W. Plummer, of Fleming, Ky., by Rev. W. C. Pierce, the bride's pastor. They will reside at Fleming.

All Day Missionary Meeting.

There will be an all day missionary meeting next Wednesday at the First Baptist church this city, of the Green-up district missionary association of the Baptist church. Luncheon will be served at the church. Many people are expected as representatives from the churches of Ashland, Greenup, Polk, Louisa and Russell.

Local and Personal.

Mrs. A. Mims, who has been quite ill at Mud Lays Springs, is reported as much improved.

Elliott Marcum, who has long been abroad with the American expeditionary forces and who returned to New York a few days ago, has returned here for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Marcum.

Mrs. Newton Adams has gone to South Point to spend the week with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adams and family.

Mrs. A. J. Crowell and little son Charles are guests from Huntington of Judge and Mrs. James M. McConnell. Mrs. Frank Tyree has returned from Washington where she attended the funeral of her brother-in-law, Hon. Millard F. Tyree, whose sudden death shocked his many friends here.

Miss Dew Flanery has left for Denver, Colo., where she will have an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. Leslie Parker. On her arrival there they will leave on a motor car tour which later will include Yellowstone park.

Mrs. Josephine Rice, of Louisa, was the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. James H. McConnell. She also visited her aunt, Mrs. L. B. Hutchinson.

Mrs. Josephine Francis-Thomas, who has been visiting her brother, J. D. Francis and family at Huntington, has gone to Pikeville for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David L. Francis.

Mrs. Belle York, who spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Pryor Lilly at Franklin, Tenn., has returned to her home here. She stopped for a few days in Dayton, Ky., for a visit to her son, Charles York and family.

PAINTSVILLE

G. B. Carter, Manager.

The many friends of G. B. Carter, a former resident of this city, will be glad to learn that he has been made store manager of the large store of the Elkhorn Coal Co. at Garrett. Mr. Carter went from Paintsville to Garrett where he entered the store as a clerk and his work and business ability soon won for him the best job in the place. Mr. Carter is a good business man and is held in the highest esteem by all who know him. The company is to be congratulated on securing him as manager of its store.

Judge Hobson Here.

Judge Hobson, ex-Chief Justice of Kentucky, was a business visitor in our city last Saturday from Frankfort.

Taken to Baptist Home.

Kenneth Bray, age 12 years, who has been in the county jail for this past month here, was taken this week to the Baptist Orphan Home at Glendale, Ky., by Rev. Grumbles of the Baptist Church at Van Lear.

Local and Personal.

Rev. E. J. Harris, who recently moved to Ohio, where he is pastor of a Baptist church, is here this week the guest of friends.

B. F. Hager, who has been confined to his room for the past few months on account of illness, is not so well this week. Mr. and Mrs. Hager have decided to spend the summer in Florida for their health.

Frank P. Hager was called home this week from Tennessee on account of the serious illness of his little son, Frank Hager Jr. The condition of the little fellow is serious and a trained nurse is at the Hager home.

O. W. Cain was the guest of friends here Tuesday. He has just been discharged from Camp Taylor and was on his way home to Magoffin county.

Rev. H. G. Sowards left for Columbus, Ohio, where he goes in the interest of the Centenary meeting which is to be held there. He will be gone two weeks.

Mrs. H. G. Sowards was shopping in Ashland and Huntington Monday and Tuesday.

W. T. Cain, Jr., of Louisa, was the guest of friends here Monday.

M. M. Shroat, of Louisa, spent Sunday here the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lack Talbert and Mrs.

Talbert's parents, Judge and Mrs. P. P. Hinkle, are moving this week to Catlettsburg. Mr. Talbert has work at Ashland while Judge Hinkle will practice law at Catlettsburg.

Herbert Conley, son of Rev. Burns Conley, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Grover Crider, this week. He has just returned from overseas where he served in the army for several months.

Capt. and Mrs. John D. Rice, of New York City, are here this week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lank Rice. Capt. and Mrs. Rice spent several days on Tom's creek visiting Capt. Rice's mother, Mrs. Martha Rice.

Miss Rebecca Garred, of Louisa, spent Tuesday and Wednesday here the guest of Dr. and Mrs. O. N. Willson.—Herald.

PRESTONSBURG

Compressor to be Built.

J. E. Biggs, general manager of the Pennegrade Oil & Gas Co., R. S. Lord, president of Hope Engineering Supply Co. which has the contract for building the pipe line and Mr. Murray, contractor for delivering the pipe, and J. H. VanPatton, engineer in charge of building the pipe line from Garrett to Johnson county, were here this week.

The pipe has already been purchased for the line, which is now located near Prestonsburg and the mines of Beaver Pond Coal Co. A \$100,000 compressing station is to be built and operated by this company in West Prestonsburg. This alone will give employment to local people and will bring to Prestonsburg a lot of new citizens.—Citizen.

Boy Scouts in Camp.

The first Pikeville and second Prestonsburg troop of Scouts left for their annual camp on Monday, June 2. The camp is two miles above Fish Trap, and a good site has been located. Rev. E. N. Hart is their scout master. The following boys went from here: Leader Carroll Howard, Assistant Leader Ben Ferguson, Bugler Tom Allen, Scouts Andrew May, Robert May, Henry Beavers, Frank Layne.

Picnic Luncheon.

A picnic luncheon party was held at the home of Judge and Mrs. W. S. Harkins on Friday afternoon in honor of Mr. V. D. Spaine of Pittsburg, Pa. The following made up the gay assemblage: Misses Maude and Ethel Salisbury, Olga Stapleton, Tiny Spradlin, Ella Noel White, Ruth Archer, Mr. Spaine of Pittsburg, Mr. Elliott of Pikeville, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Huttsinpler, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. White, Jr., Mrs. C. Y. Ligon, Mrs. J. D. Mayo, Mrs. Lon S. Moles, Dr. Oscar Stephens, Henry Patrick, P. D. Davis.

House Party.

Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Leete entertained to a week end house party the following: Misses Herma and Violet Sturgill, Vertna Frances and Hope Duke of Hindman, Ky., and Misses Evelyn Johns, Mary Ford, Florence Stephens and Bebie Salesbury.

Injured by Fall from Tree.

The young son of Tom Skeens of West Prestonsburg fell from a tree, striking on a sharp snag, injuring his right limb so badly that it was necessary to take several stitches.

Birthday Party.

A very brilliant reception was enjoyed by the younger set Wednesday evening when Miss Era D. Blair celebrated her 14th birthday. Guests arrived at an early hour. Cards and dancing were enjoyed until a late hour when a delicious sandwich course was served.

Painfully Injured.

Sammie McGuire, of Water Gap, the little four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGuire, struck a splinter in his right eye last week and had to be brought into town to have it extracted.

Leslie Roberts.

Miss Nell Leslie, daughter of Banner Leslie, of Ashland, Ky., was united in marriage to Mr. Lindsey Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Roberts, of Dewey, Ky., Wednesday, May 15th.

Local and Personal.

Mrs. E. F. Combs entertained a number of young people Monday evening in honor of her niece, Misses Herma and Violet Sturgill, of Hindman, Ky.

A host of friends and neighbors assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eyo Laferty Friday afternoon to help Aunt Era Laferty celebrate her 66th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bryant have gone to the hospital at Louisa where Mrs. Bryant is most likely to undergo an operation.

Miram Morgan, age 80 years, died at his home on Abbott creek. He is survived by two sons, William and Perdue Morgan.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Vance, a fine 10-pound boy.

Leonard Oppenheimer has left for Carter county where he goes to visit relatives and to accompany his family home.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Vance, of Trimble street, a girl.

Uncle John Layne went to Pikeville to attend the commencement exercises of Pikeville College where his granddaughter, Miss Grace Layne, graduated Thursday evening.

Misses Ruth and Mary Archer have returned from Bowling Green Business University, Bowling Green, Ky.

Born, to Capt. and Mrs. Taylor P. Calhoun, of Norfolk, Va., on May 23, a daughter—Claire Lucile, weight 5 1/2 pounds.

Clarence Flansery returned Saturday night after 18 months service overseas. He plans to return to Washington, D. C., after a visit here with his mother, Mrs. Belle Flansery. His brother Will has gone to Italy and does not expect to get home for several months.—Post.

PIKEVILLE

A. E. Auxier for State Senator.

Hon. A. E. Auxier, of Pikeville, has entered the race for State Senator from the district composed of Pike, Floyd and Knott counties, subject to the action of the Republican primary. He is one of Pike County's leading attorneys, also one of her very best



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citizens. The district will be fortunate to have his services in the State Senate.

Distinguished Visitor.

Miss Minnie Mahler, private secretary to Senator Stanley, in the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Hatcher, of Pikeville. After a ten days visit here she will go direct to Washington to take up her duties there. She was secretary to Mr. Stanley during his six years as Congressman and three and a half years as Governor.

Hauls by Thieves.

Postoffice thieves robbed the office at Sutton, about eight miles from here Thursday night. The night before the office at Carmen, on Marrowbone, was robbed. The value of the loot at these offices is said to have been from \$50 to \$75.

For Good Roads.

Ex-Sheriff G. M. Mullins was here from Clintwood Wednesday and Thursday on business. He says he is for good roads and hopes that old Pike county vote the bonds on June 23rd by an overwhelmingly majority.

Jury Failed to Agree.

The jury in the case of Pearl Taylor charged with killing Henry Bostic on Johns Creek last October deliberated two days and was unable to reach an agreement. Taylor was indicted on suspicion. He and Bostic had quarrelled on that day they hunted with a dog. On the fatal day they were joined by Bostic's son Bob and still hunted in the woods they agreed to separate and get together later in the day. It seemed that young Bostic and Taylor were in calling distance of each other but did not go on together, Taylor making a distance of about four miles, while

Bostic hunted over the same ravine. In the afternoon young Bostic claimed to have found his father's body having been shot in the back of the head with a shot gun. He also claimed that about \$500 which Bostic carried into the woods with him was gone. Some time later about \$300 was found in a hollow tree on the route taken by Taylor going home. It is said that evening and paid some debts and traded some on the river. He was arrested soon after but not until after some suspicious conversation.

Sturgell-Justice.

Hut Justice, 26, and Lizzie Sturgell, 25, were married Wednesday, May 28, at the home of Rev. J. C. Wright. They will go to housekeeping at once. Mr. Justice is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Justice. Miss Sturgell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sturgell of Island Creek.

Local and Personal.

Miss Stella Hunt, who recently returned from Barboursville, has accepted a position as clerk at the Hotel Jefferson.

Henry Potter was down from Yeager calling on friends. He was one of the first Pike county boys to enter training at Camp Taylor, and spent nearly 21 months in France.

Jerry Blackburn, prominent citizen of Stone, joined Mrs. Blackburn here last week for a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Ches. Bentley.

C. & O. Fireman Lon Hynton, of Lookout, and Mrs. Hynton, who was Miss Flora Childers, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Agam Childers this week. Fireman Hynton received an injury to his leg several days ago when an engine turned over. He is now able to get about with the aid of crutches.

Charles E. Smith, who has been at-

tending school at the Kentucky Military Institute for the past year, has returned home and will spend his vacation with his mother, Mrs. Magruder.

Raymond Langley, who has a position with the Kentucky Wholesale Co. spent the week end with his parents at Prestonsburg.

Mrs. John W. Langley is with her father and mother at Ashville, N. C. Her father is in very poor health.

Mrs. Charles Henzeman and daughter Margaret have returned to their home at Paintsville after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Layne and family here.

The Ladies Aid of the First M. E. Church was very pleasantly entertained Thursday afternoon of last week by Mrs. Erwin Sanders. The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. P. Walters.

Mrs. Forest Ward was in this city Tuesday enroute to her home at Lookout from Paintsville, where she had been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gregory are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, born Sunday, May 25. Mrs. Gregory before her marriage was Miss Fay Godd.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dixon, of Paintsville, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Williams of this city. Mr. Dixon is manager of the gas company at Paintsville.

COUNTIES TO RECEIVE MOTOR TRUCKS FOR ROADS

Every county road department except Floyd, which was not represented at Frankfort Monday and has never asked for State aid, received a motor truck at the drawing held by the State Road Department to distribute trucks furnished by the Federal Government from the army supply. Twenty-one counties, which have the most miles of State-aid road, received an additional truck for maintenance work.